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nay. Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 mays, Mr. President, on the motion to return the bill.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The bill is returned to Select File. Senator Wehrbein, you're recognized to open on AM1865.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Mr. President and members, this is as I've stated before, it's an additional \$1.5 million in deficit spending to go into this deficit bill, LB 538. The amount of money is already in the status, so it really doesn't show up as any additional spending. It simply needs to have this \$1.5 million actually appropriated, and that's what this does. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Debate? Senator Wehrbein, you're recognized to close. Senator Wehrbein waives closing. Question is the adoption of AM1865 to LB 538. Those in favor vote aye; those opposed vote nay. Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: 35 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the Select File amendment.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The amendment is agreed to. Senator Erdman.

SENATOR ERDMAN: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor. I move the advancement of LB 538 to E & R for engrossing.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The question is the advancement of LB 538E to E & R. Those in favor say aye. Opposed nay. The bill is advanced. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Read LB 539 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached? Those in favor vote aye; those opposed vote nay. Mr. Clerk, please record.